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1       **AN ACT** *to create* 15.107 (19) and 16.28 of the statutes; **relating to:** creation of a  
2       biofuels production facility regulation review council.

*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

**JOINT LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL PREFATORY NOTE:** This bill draft was prepared for the joint legislative council's special committee on domestic biofuels. The bill draft creates a 9-member Biofuels Production Facility Regulation Review Council (council) attached to the Department of Administration, with members appointed by the Governor, to review state and local regulatory burdens related to biofuels production facilities and to report its findings to the Governor and the Legislature.

3       **SECTION 1.** 15.107 (19) of the statutes is created to read:

4       **15.107 (19)** BIOFUELS PRODUCTION FACILITY REGULATION REVIEW COUNCIL. There is  
5       created a 9-member biofuels production facility regulatory review council that is attached to  
6       the Department of Administration under s. 15.03. The board shall be appointed by the  
7       Governor and serve at the pleasure of the Governor until the completion of the report under  
8       s. 16.28.

9       **SECTION 2.** 16.28 of the statutes is created to read:

10       **16.28 (1)** BIOFUELS PRODUCTION FACILITY REGULATION REVIEW COUNCIL. The biofuels  
11       production facility regulation review council shall identify state and local regulatory burdens  
12       relating to the siting, construction, operation, and expansion of biofuels production facilities,  
13       and opportunities for streamlining regulations related to these processes. The council shall  
14       submit a report on its findings to the Governor and the standing committees of the Legislature

1 that oversee issues related to renewable energy under s. 13.1725 (3), within 2 years of the  
2 effective date of this section.

3 (END)